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In re patent application of: **Maginot**

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Group Art Unit: **3763**

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Paid For	Fee Calculation	Addit Fee
Total Claims	49	20	29 X 9	\$ 261
Independent Claims	3	3	0 X 43	\$ 0
Total Additional Fee Required				\$ 261

* A check for \$261.00 is enclosed herewith to cover the cost for the extra claims.

* Applicant hereby claims small entity status (see 37 CFR § 1.27).

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